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Enclosed are:		
$\boxtimes$	50 pages of specification, claims, abstract.	
	Declaration and Power of Attorney.	
$\boxtimes$	Priority Claimed.	
$\overline{\boxtimes}$	Certified copy of	Japanese Patent Application No. 11-371266 and Japanese Patent
		Application No. 11-371265
$\boxtimes$	11 sheets of formal drawing.	
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